Lights Camera Film Literacy!
Unit Three
Early Talkies

Topics:
Sound and "Talkies"
Film Genre Characteristics
Reading a Script
Act I
Act II
The LCL! 3x3 Story Path
The Magic Three
Creature Feature

Films:
SINGING IN THE RAIN
KING KONG

Enduring understandings

New technologies developed which allowed sound to be added to film and posed new challenges for filmmakers.

Narrative film scripts use a specific format and most often follow a three-act structure.

Essential Questions

What challenges faced filmmakers when sound was first introduced to film?

What was the "Golden Age of Hollywood?"